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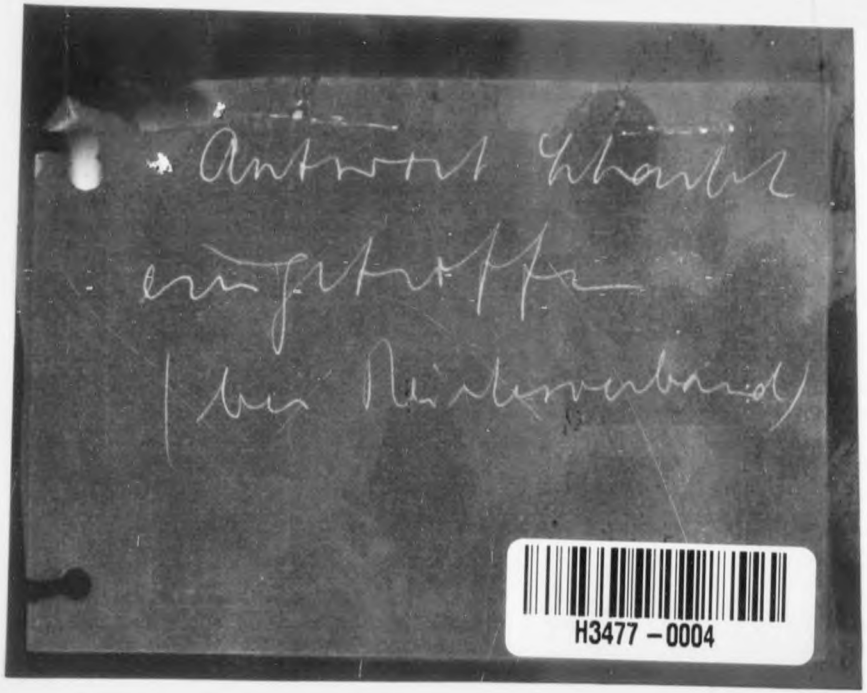

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S. Ang. v.

Sehr geehrter Herr Reichsminister !

Darf ich mich und mit mir das Gesetz über die Beschlagnahme staatsfeindlichen Vermögens in Erinnerung bringen? Auf diesem Gebiete ist die Verwaltung etwas in Unordnung geraten und ich möchte die Ordnung nicht mit unzulänglichen Mitteln herbeizuführen suchen, weil dies nichts nützt.

Ich glaube, dass dieses Gesetz soweit fertig ist, dass es zur Unterschrift für den Führer bereit liegt und ich hoffe, dass Sie, sehr geehrter Herr Reichsminister bald Gelegenheit haben werden, diese Unterschrift einzuholen.

Indem ich Sie bestens begrüsse, verbleibe ich mit

H e i l H i t l e r !
Ihr sehr ergebener

Herrn
Reichsminister und Chef der Reichskanzlei
Dr. L a m m e r s ,
B e r l i n W 8., Wilhelmstrasse 78.

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May I recall to you myself and the law concerning confiscation of property of enemies of the State? The administration of this sphere is in some disorder and I do not wish to create order with insufficient means since that is useless.

I believe that this law is almost completed and ready for the signature of the Fuehrer, and I hope that you, dear Reich Minister, will have occasion to obtain the signature soon.

With best regards I remain,

Heil Hitler!

Yours faithfully,

(signed) SEYSS-INQUART

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